



## Ryan John Macik

July 19, 1979 - September 25, 2023

Ryan grew up as a so called “Army Brat”. He was born in Fort Hood, Texas and then moved to Fort Knox, Kentucky all before he was one and a half years old. We then moved overseas to Germany where we stayed for three years. Ryan and his dad spent weekends “volksmarching” which were 5k fitness walks for which they earned medals. We’d like to believe this was the inspiration for Ryan’s lifelong love of running and competing in marathons. We then moved to the Presidio of San Francisco, back to Fort Knox and finally, at the age of 10 we were able to move to Michigan. We could finally establish roots and forge lifelong friendships. Ryan attended high school and college here eventually earning his B. A. From Western Michigan University. Ryan had a passion for Detroit and all things Michigan. Ryan’s other passion was his work as Vice President of Aadvanced Machinery, where he honed an encyclopedic knowledge of all things related to machines and parts. The only thing Ryan knew better than machine parts was Nike gym shoes and he may have had more gym shoes than machine parts!

Ryan is survived by his parents; John & Janet, brother; Patrick and husband of Katy Macik. He was predeceased by his sisters; Kathryn & Kimberly. He was also survived by many other loving family members.

Sadly, many of you were not aware that Ryan became ill and suffered debilitating and severe seizures. It was extremely frustrating as medical

professionals could neither identify the cause of the seizures nor provide medication allowing any relief to Ryan. This went on for over a year and a half until Ryan eventually succumbed to a final seizure this past weekend.

We will forever miss Ryan's warm smile, bright eyes and sharp sense of humor. No seizure can rob us of our fond memories and love of Ryan J. Macik who will live forever in our hearts and minds!

Our only comfort during this difficult period is that Ryan is no longer suffering and is finally at peace!

Memorial Visitation will be Saturday, Oct. 7, 2023 from 2 pm until 4 pm  
Memorial Service at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (N. of 22 Mile Rd-Shelby Twp.)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 7. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

## Funeral Service

OCT 7. 4:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
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# Tribute Wall

PM

“ *Ryan was such a great person to work with. He even sent me beer one time as a thank you from Michigan to PA. Thinking of him today and praying for his family. Patrick*

Patrick Mallee - September 26, 2024 at 02:14 PM

LA

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Letty Azar - October 07, 2023 at 06:14 PM

CM

“ *Our hearts are sad to say goodbye to Ryan, who was deeply loved by his family and friends. We are comforted in knowing that he will live forever in our hearts. Although we cannot be there today, know that we are thinking of you and sending our deepest sympathies and hoping today marks the day that you can celebrate his life and enjoy peace in his memory. Love Mark and Cheryl*

Cheryl Macik - October 06, 2023 at 02:53 PM



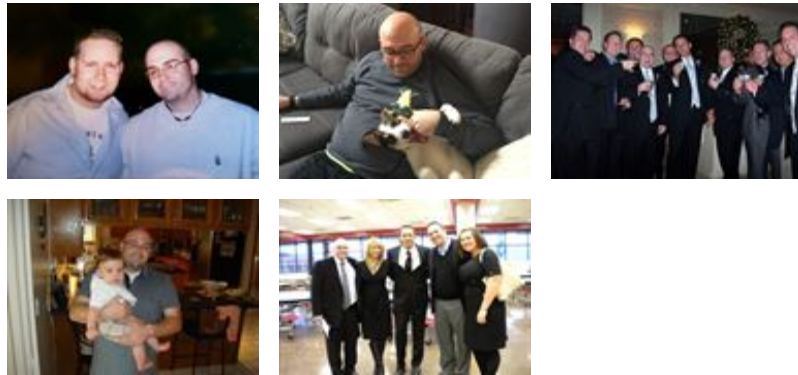
“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ryan John Macik.*



October 06, 2023 at 11:53 AM



“ 116 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. - October 05, 2023 at 03:50 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Ryan John Macik.



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October 03, 2023 at 04:33 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ryan John Macik.

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October 03, 2023 at 12:57 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of Ryan John Macik.



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October 03, 2023 at 12:57 PM

ES

“ Ryan you are so going to be missed by  
Everyone that knew you💔



Elaine Skruba - October 02, 2023 at 06:46 PM

AL

“ Alanna lit a candle in memory of Ryan John  
Macik



Alanna - October 02, 2023 at 10:46 AM

AL

*Ryan, I miss our daily chats, jokes, and sharing of music. My sincere  
condolences to the family. I hope you are resting well and off running  
up in heaven. I miss you so much. Alanna*

Alanna - October 02, 2023 at 10:48 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of  
Ryan John Macik.



October 01, 2023 at 04:21 PM

JM

“ My sincere sympathies on the passing of your beloved son. May he  
rest in peace. Cousin Jackie

Jackie McNeilly - October 01, 2023 at 11:03 AM